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6. THE ARTICLE, WHICH AT LEAST TWO GOVERNMENT OFFICIALS HAVE
TOLD US GOVERNMENT WAS RESPONSIBLE NOR, DOES THE FOLLOWING:

--POINTS A FINGER AT AJMAL KHATTAK FOR AN INFLAMMATORY
"PAKHTOONISTAN DAY" SPEECH, BROADCAST OVER RADIO KABUL IN EARLY
SEPTEMBER 1974 WHICH "SIGNALLED" THE WAPDA HOUSE EXPLOSION AND
"LAUNCHED A THOUSAND SABOTEURS".
-- QUOTES OFTEN OUT OF CONTEXT "CHAPTER AND VERSE" FROM WALI KHAN'S
PUBLIC SPEECHES TO ESTABLISH THEM AS INCENDIARY: PAKHTOONS MUST
"UNITE ,RISE AND SNATCH THEIR RIGHTS"; "EVEN FOREIGN AID WOULD
BE ACCEPTABLE IN OVERTHROWING PRESENT GOP"; A FIRE WILL BURN
AS WELL IN QUETTA AS IN DACCA; AND ANTI-NATIONALIST: "BBDQINCY(#)

SIMPLY SHIFT THE TORKHAM BORDER IN THE ATTOCK BRIDGE"
AND "A NEW COUNTRY COMPRISING FRONTIER PROVINCE, BALUCHISTAN
AND AFGHANISTAN WOULD COME INTO EXISTENCE".
--CITES AS MAIN INGREDIENTS OF NAP POLICY WHICH LED TO
PRESENT SITUATION:" TO USE FORCE TO SWEEP ASIDE PARLIAMENTARY
PROCESS," AND"TO DUPLICATE THE BANGLADESH CONFLICT IN PAKISTAN'S
TWO WESTERN PROVINCES". THE LATTER IS REVEALED, ACCOUNT SAYS,
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BY FEBRUARY 21 POLICE SEIZURE OF GUNS AND SUBVERSIVE LITERATURE AT PESHAWAR WHICH, SHERPAO HAD WARNED BEFORE HIS DEATH, NAP EXTREMISTS WERE TRYING TO TURN INTO ANOTHER DACCA UNIVERSITY.

--BLASTS THE AFGHANS FOR: THEIR" SUPPORT OF NAP AS EVIDENT FROM RADIO KABUL BROADCASTS"; SUPPORTING NAP CLAIM FOR PAKHTOONISTAN, AND THEIR INTRODUCTION OF THE PAKHTOONISTAN ISSUE IN WORLD FORUMS.

--CATALOGUES THE "CAMPAIGN OF TERRORISM" BY NAP, BEGINNING WITH POLITICAL AGGRAVATION IN NWFP AND BALUCHISTAN WHICH CULMINATED IN INSURGENCY IN BALUCHISTAN"SYNCHRONIZED WITH THE COMING TO POWER OF SARDAR DAUD"; THEN, WHEN THAT INSURGENCY WANED, FEATURED BOMB BLASTS AND REACHED TURNING POINT WITH THE WAPDA HOUSE BLAST, THEN BECAME INCREASINGLY BLOODY AND LED UP TO SHERPAO'S DEATH.

--ATTACKS WALI KHAN AND NAP LOYALTY BY RECALLING ROLE OF HIS FAHTER, GHAFAR KHAN, AND HIS RED SHIRTS AS BRANCH OF CONGRESS WHO OPPOSED PARTITION AND VERY CREATION OF PAKISTAN.

--TRACED GOI INVOGEMENT IN PATHAN AFFAIRS AND CONTACTS BETWEEN GHAFAR AND WALI KHAN WITH INDIAN OFFICIALS AFTER PARTITION UP TO 1972.

7. TEXT OF FEBRUARY 23 PAKISTAN TIMES ARTICLE BEING POUCHED TO DEPARTMENT, KABUL AND NEW DELHI.
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